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Held in private at Headquarters, New York, on Tuesday, 22 February 2011, at 3 p.m.

In accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued through the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

"At its 6486th meeting, held in private on 22 February 2011, the Security Council considered the item entitled 'Peace and security in Africa'.

"The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Afghanistan, Algeria, Argentina, Austria, Australia, Bahrain, Belgium, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Botswana, Brunei Darussalam, Bulgaria, Chad, Comoros, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Djibouti, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Ecuador, Egypt, Estonia, Finland, Georgia, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Iraq, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kuwait, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Liechtenstein, Malaysia, Maldives, Malta, Mexico, Morocco, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Niger, Norway, Oman, Pakistan, Poland, Qatar, the Republic of Korea, Romania, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Sudan, the Syrian Arab Republic, the United Republic of Tanzania, Tunisia, Turkey, Ukraine, the United Arab Emirates, Uruguay, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Viet Nam, Yemen and Zimbabwe, at their request, to participate in the consideration without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

"The Security Council heard a briefing under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure by Mr. B. Lynn Pascoe, Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs.

"The Security Council heard a statement by the representative of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya."